



# CENTRAL OHIO NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

Box 1561, Dublin, OH 43017



## August 2020

**When:** 7 p.m., Aug. 19

**Where:** Oakstone Academy  
900 Club Dr., Westerville

**Topics:** Show planning

## August presentation

Our August meeting will be largely devoted to the show. However, we will have the quiz, auction and raffle - just no speaker.

Help is needed from Thursday setup to Saturday teardown. Green Hats are what make our show special. Signup sheets will be available at the meeting and at the picnic.

The show will be smaller than usual, just 65 tables; and shorter. No Sunday hours this year.

## Green Hat signups

The most important thing about the show is that we need anyone who is planning to come to work at the show and be a Green Hat to sign up in the book at the meeting or at the picnic.

Anyone not signed up to work will NOT receive a lunch coupon. The hotel needs a prepared count for the lunches by August 25. Anyone not signed up in the book will NOT have a prepared CONA name tag.

If you are planning to come to work, but will not be at the meeting and/or the picnic, please email Patty at [pcass@cscc.edu](mailto:pcass@cscc.edu) or [Spence@sunderlandpainting.com](mailto:Spence@sunderlandpainting.com). Thanks. -- Patty

## Show details

**When:** Sept. 3 -5 (No Sunday show this year)

**Location:** Embassy Suites Columbus – Dublin

**Address:** 5100 Upper Metro Pl., Dublin,

**Dealer Setup:** Thursday 3 pm – 8:00 pm

**Early Bird Entry:** 4 pm Thurs; 8 am Fri, Sat.

**Admission:** \$4, Under 12, free

**Central Ohio Numismatic Association members receive free admission, and members who volunteer as Green Hats, receive a free lunch on the days they volunteer.**

## Meeting details

We're going to try to make it as safe as possible, but be mindful, the disease is still out there. Today (Aug. 10) there were 166 new cases in Franklin County, 8 hospitalizations and 1 death.

The building has a constant supply of fresh air, with outside vents.

**Location:** Oakstone gym, a newer pre-engineered metal building west of the main building's entrance.

**Directions:** Drive down the entrance road until you get to the front of the main building, and turn right.

**Seating:** This is a gym with bleacher seating, so bring your own cushion or lawn chair.

**Snacks:** BYO. No drinks or snacks provided

**Masks:** Required in Ohio

## CONA picnic

**When:** 1-5 pm Aug. 23

**Where:** UA's Thompson Park, North Shelterhouse

**Eats:** CONA supplies hot dogs and burgers. Please bring a dish to share.

**Details:** Attached sheet

## Club auction

Send September lots to Steve Barnett - [sbarnet5@columbus.rr.com](mailto:sbarnet5@columbus.rr.com) - by Sept. 8

## Columbus Coin Show

**When:** Aug. 16 - 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

**Where:** Makoy Center, Hilliard

**Admission:** CONA members get in free

## Newsletter editor needed

Mindful of our age and health, my wife and I are limiting contact outside the family and will not be attending club functions until next year. Our hope right now is just to make it through to the vaccine without falling ill.

Because of that, CONA needs someone to take over putting out the newsletter and scheduling speakers.

If you're interested, please contact Spence. I'd be happy to answer any questions and facilitate the transition. - **Gerry** ([gtebbben@gmail.com](mailto:gtebbben@gmail.com))

## In memoriam



# Chet Britt

1947 - 2020

James Chester Britt, Jr, age 73, passed away Thursday, July 16, 2020. Chet was born and raised in Columbus, Ohio, son of the late James C Britt and Nan Beardmore Britt. He is also preceded in death by his father-in-law, Otto G. Acker and mother-in-law, Mildred Miller Acker. Chet was a resident of Grandview Heights for 44 years before moving to Powell in 2018.

He practiced Law for 33 years at Britt, Campbell, Nagel, and Sproat. Chet served on Grandview Heights City Council, Grandview Heights Marble Cliff Education Foundation Board, Grandview Heights Public Library Foundation Board, and led the Grandview Charter Review Committee.

## September presentation

While this is still up in the air, our September speaker will likely be Brian Raines.

## Raffle

Tickets are \$1 each; 6 for \$5; 13 for \$10

## Christmas banquet

Wednesday, Dec. 9 at Heritage Golf Club, same place as last year.

## August newsletter

The August newsletter is being mailed early. The auction list will be emailed later, but will not be placed in the U.S. mail.

In addition, he was also a Grandview Bobcat Booster and member of the Central Ohio Numismatic Association, CONA Coin Club.

Following retirement, Chet collected coins and worked on family genealogy and truly loved traveling. He drove to 48 states in his motor home, took countless family vacations and cruises, and enjoyed spending time at his Folly Beach House.

His favorite family time was his weekends at the Wilds with his grandchildren. Chet's illnesses or handicaps later in life never slowed him down nor discouraged him from new adventures big and small. You could see him scooting about the neighborhood or listening to books or music on his porch.

Most of all, Chet loved his family. He found the greatest joy just being surrounded by his children and grandchildren. He taught us, he inspired us, and he took care of us.

He will be greatly missed by his loving wife of 49 years, Shirley Acker Britt; children, James O. (Katy) Britt and Lydia (David) Britt DeCarlo; grandchildren, Madeline, James Otto, Evan, and Clara; brother, Jeff (Lynn) Britt; brother-in-law, Gary Acker; nieces and nephews; and other extended family members and dear friends.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made in Chet's memory to Flying Horse Farms (FHF is a medical specialty camp that provides healing, transformative experiences for children with serious illnesses and their families). Donations can be made online at [www.flyinghorsefarms.org/donate](http://www.flyinghorsefarms.org/donate). Or mail donations to: Flying Horse Farms, 5260 State Route 95, Mt. Gilead, OH 43338.

Blast from the past  
*Columbus Dispatch March 23, 1964*

## New 50¢ Coins Here Wednesday

The John F. Kennedy <sup>half</sup> ~~dollar~~ will be distributed by Columbus banks starting Wednesday. The Bureau of the Mint announced that the new coin bearing a likeness of the late president would be put in circulation through local banks only.

Twenty-first Annual

# OHIO STATE COIN SHOW

**Labor Day Weekend**

**Sept. 3 – 5, 2020**

***“Ohio’s Premier Coin Show”***

## **New Location**

***(Same general area - 2 blocks north of 2019 location)***

**Embassy Suites Columbus – Dublin**  
**5100 Upper Metro Pl. Dublin, OH 43017**  
**614-790-9000**

**Hosted by CONA**  
**614-571-2745**  
**pcass@columbus.rr.com**

### **Open to the Public**

**Friday – 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.**

**Saturday – 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.**

***Dealer Set-Up: Thursday 3 p.m. to 8 p.m. and Friday 8 a.m. to 10 a.m.***

***Early Birds: Thursday 4 p.m. and Friday, Saturday at 8 a.m.***

**Over 65 Tables and 60 Dealers**

**Special Area for World Coins and Ancients**

**Door Prizes and Raffle Drawing**

**Food Service during Show Hours**

**Treasure Hunt for Young Numismatists on Saturday from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m.**

**Free Grading Opinions**

**Courtesy Coin Appraisals**

**Admission:** \$4 (for the entire show)      **Youth (12 and under)** Free

**Location and Directions:**      5100 Upper Metro Place, Dublin OH 43017  
Take I-270 to Exit 17A (Dublin) to SR 161 East  
Turn West on Upper Metro Place

**Bourse Team:**      Patty Cass Ph: 614-571-2745    email: pcass@columbus.rr.com  
Tony Cass Ph: 614-625-4628    email: dacass@columbus.rr.com

**Mailing Address:**      OHIO STATE COIN SHOW      Website: [www.conacoinclub.com](http://www.conacoinclub.com)  
PMB #292  
1601 West Fifth Avenue  
Columbus, OH 43212-2310

**HOME OF THE  
GREEN HATS**

# CONA PICNIC!!!

**August 23, 2020**

**1:00 to 5:00 P.M. Thompson Park  
North Shelter House - 4250 Woodbridge Rd.  
Upper Arlington, 43221**



**Please bring a dish to share – enough for ~12 servings.**

**Hamburgers, Hot Dogs/Bratwurst, Water, Soft Drinks, Plates,  
Silverware, and Napkins, will be provided.**



**Lunch will begin at 1:00 to allow ample time for dining,  
visiting, and an awesome auction!**



**Please RSVP to [LPetty@eesgroup.us](mailto:LPetty@eesgroup.us) or call 614-657-2963**

**All volunteers are welcome!!! Please arrive at 12:00 noon to help set up.**

**Auction:** Please bring auction donations.

As usual, we will have an auction with all proceeds going to the club

**Signup sheets:** Show signup sheets will be available.



